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Inventors: Marcy L. Freed et al.) Serial No.: 10/782,620
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Disorders By Application Of)
Neuromuscular Electrical)
Stimulation)

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

At column 17, lines 12-15, delete "(i) a second intensity control circuit for regulating the second series of electrical pulses for output through the second channel such that the electrical current does not exceed a second predetermined value";

At column 17, line 16, change "(j)" to --i--

At column 17, line 21, change "(k)" to --j--

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